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# Genomics & Health Weekly Update

This weekly update provides information about the impact of human genetic research on disease prevention and public health.

## Spotlight



### Family History for the Public

Visit the new section of our website that provides information for the general public about family history and how it can be used to promote health.

## CDC Announcements

### New HuGE Review

CYP3A4 Polymorphisms—Potential Risk Factors for Breast and Prostate Cancer: A HuGE Review  
Channa Keshava et al.

## Genomics in the News

### "Genetics Play Role in Response to Most Common Asthma Drug"

(October 22) NIH/NHLBI report, "Genes affect how asthma patients respond to albuterol, according to results of a new study of adults with mild asthma."

## Genomics in the Scientific Literature

### Genetic approaches to solving common diseases

Abou-Sleiman PM, et al.  
J Neurol 2004 Oct;251(10):1169-72

## HuGE Published Literature

### CYP3A4 Polymorphisms--Potential Risk Factors for Breast and Prostate Cancer: A HuGE Review.

Keshava C, et al.  
Am J Epidemiol 2004 Nov;160(9):825-41

## Upcoming Events

### April 12-14, 2005

CESAGen Second International Conference -  
Genomics and Society  
London, England

## Let's Go Surfing

### Newborn Screening for Cystic Fibrosis (CF): Commonly Asked Questions

From the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation (PDF file)